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**Sent**: 6/20/2017 2:01:36 PM

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**Subject**: RE: For final review -- GenX statement

Got it-thanks.

From: Grantham, Nancy

**Sent:** Tuesday, June 20, 2017 9:55 AM **To:** Senn, John <Senn.John@epa.gov>

Subject: RE: For final review -- GenX statement

No later than noon – thanks

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From: Senn, John

Sent: Tuesday, June 20, 2017 9:50 AM

**To:** Grantham, Nancy < <u>Grantham.Nancy@epa.gov</u>> **Subject:** RE: For final review -- GenX statement

Will send to our team now—is there a time we're shooting for to get this finalized? That will help move folks along on my end.

Thanks, John

From: Grantham, Nancy

Sent: Tuesday, June 20, 2017 9:49 AM

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All – per our call just a few minutes ago, here is the final holding statement. Please make sure that your principals review asap – including Nancy Beck, Patrick Trailor, Sarah Greenwalt, and Richard Yamada.

Thanks all

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EPA is committed to protecting public health and supporting states and public water systems as the appropriate steps to address the presence of GenX in drinking water are determined.

# Ex. 5 - Deliberative Process

### Background

• Typically, EPA investigates potential TSCA noncompliance through a review of production and environmental controls records required by any rule or order and, as needed, an on-site inspection. EPA may also use information requests to inform our investigation.

### Ex. 5 - Deliberative Process

• Chemours agreed to bear all costs for the water collection and testing. The samples are being sent to a private laboratory in Colorado, and the EPA Office of Research and Development laboratory in Research Triangle Park, NC for independent verification.

NCDEQ believes the completed results will be back from the laboratory in Colorado within four weeks from when the samples are received. EPA is working to determine a timeline for its analysis.

Under the Safe Drinking Water Act, EPA undertakes extensive evaluations of contaminants and uses the best available peer reviewed science to identify and regulate contaminants that present meaningful opportunities for health risk reduction.

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